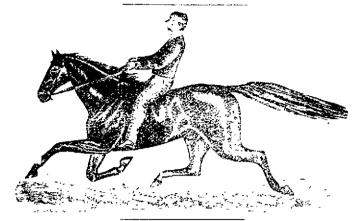
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#### LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Wedding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. John Renshaw celebrated their thirtieth wedding anniversary yesterday afternoon and last evening at their home, three miles and a half northeast of the city. Despite the forbidding weather, there was a good attendance of friends and relatives who began to arrive about noon and who enjoyed themselves throughout the afternoon in a most enoyable social manner. The host and tostess received many congratulations during the afternoon from those present, t being their most earnest wish that kind Providence would spare them to enoy many happy returns of the day. A bountiful dinner was served about 2 o clock and it was a most complete repast, the tastefully decorated table abounding with every delicacy obtain-

The company included J. H. Alexander and wife, Charles Reddick and family, Charles Green and family, Mat Harrison ind family, R. J. Roberts and family, James Steele and family, G. R. Steele and wife, Miss Ottie Alexander and Miss Kellar, of Farmer City. During the evening the young folks present enjoyed themselves with games, music and dancing. Mr. and Mrs. Renshaw received a number of costly and valuable presents, okens of respect in which this comple is held by their many friends.

Union Revival Call.

To the churches of Decatur: For some time the great necessity for a union temperance effort has been generally discussed and steps taken to secure the co-operation of all organizations oppossed to intemperance and the dramshop traffic. For that purpose a meeting of representatives of the Good Templars odges and W. C. T. U. was held on Thursday afternoon at which it was decided to extend an invitation to all of the churches and to all other organizations of the city in favor of temperance to unite in a general temperance revival. To that end all churches and other organizations interested are earnestly requested to at once select a representa tive to be present at a meeting to be held at the W. C. T. U. rooms on Tuesday afternoon, April 1, at 3 o'clock sharp, when the plan for such union meeting will be agreed upon. D. L. BUNN, Chairman.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.



Right of Way Notice. Right of Way Notice.

Public notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern, that the Citizens' Electric Street Railway Company, of Decatur, 1h. most, on Monday, the 7th day of Auril, A. D. Issa, at the remain place of meeting of the city council, of the city of becatur, will present its perman to the said city council, for permission to by, construct and maintain another street railway track upon the following street, between the points named, making the track of the said company on such street, between the points named, a double one, to-wit: From the Intersection of Water street and East Main street, and westward on East Main street, to Lincoln Square. Said leave and permission prayed for, to be for the full term of twenty (20) years, and upon such terms and conditions sanctioned by law is shall seem proper to the city council, and for the best interests of the public.

Pecatur, Illinois, March 28, A. D., 1800.

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Public notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern, that The Citizens' Electric street Railway Company, of Decatur, Illinois, on MONDAY, the 7th day of April, A. D. 1890, at the regular place of meeting of the city council of the city of Decatur, will present its petition to lay, construct and maintain another street railway track upon the following street, between the points named, making the track of the said company on such street, between the points named, making the track of the said company on such street, between the points named, naking the track of the said company on such street, between the points named, adoubt one, to-wit: Commencine at the intersection of East Main Street and North Water street, and thence northward on North Water street to a point just north of East William street. Said leave and permission prayed for to be for the full term of twenty (20) years, and upon such terms and conditions sanctioned by law, as shall seem proper to the city council, and for the best interests of the public.

Decatur, Illinois, March 28th, A. D. 1880,

The Citizens' Electric Street Railway Co., Right of Way Notice.

The Citizens' Electric Street Railway Co., Other Date of Decarder, Lilinois.
DAVID S. SHRLLABARGER, President,
HAS & RANDOLPH, Attorneys for the Commarga-dio WE are authorized to announce Zera W. HARPI as a sendidate for Collector at the enging township electron, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

A Great Hall Show. The management of the Opera House take pleasure in announcing the appearance of Prof. Herrmann's Trans atlantique Vaudeville company, which

will begin a short engagement in this city to-night. This organization since its

Fly," in which one appears as the spider in a very ingeniously constructed web of rope, while their performance concludes with a wonderful exhibition of contortions. Le Petit Freddy, the wonderful infant phenomenon, who will not be seven years old until next December, and who speaks English, German, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese, and in fact almost

girl of the demure, "Plumes and Prisms." Next comes Herr Tholen, from the Paris Hippodrome, who is charged with electric ity and reads by the radiance of his phos horescent head. This artist is accompanied by a singing dog. Boulanger; Dainty Katie Seymonr dances like a fairy or butterfly; Ross and Fenton, the clever character elected artists; last but not east, come the marvellous Pinauds. They make music out of everything, from train of cars to a German pipe and change their costumes at least eight times during the short duration of their acts. Taking it all and all, Herrmanns Grand European Vaudeville Company ought to be a "feast for the eye and ear." The entertainment is said to be clean and

The disease seems to be a sympathetic one, as the eye is affected as are other parts of the body, more particularly the muscular system, to which it causes great pain in performing its functions. A no-What is true in Pennsylvania is to a certain extent true in Illinois. There is a large increase in diseases of the eye.

ts use and is now strong, healthy, rosy, weighing 140 pounds. Fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, Druggist, Fort Smith, Texas. Trial bottles of this wonderful Discovery Free at Dr. A. J. Stoper's Drug Store ner's Drug Store.

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ASSESSOR. WE are authorized to announce Freed. Smith as a candidate for township assessor. WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL I KRELER as a candidate for Assessor, subject t the Republican township convention.

POLNDMASTER.

WE are authorized to announce Rodert Bulle as a candidate for Poundmaster, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce Rodert Steward Be a candidate for Poundmaster of Decatur township, subject to the action of the Republican township, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce Grren Martin 83 a candidate for Poundmaster of Decatur township, subject to the Republican convention.

TOWN CLERK. POUNDMASTER.

TOWN ! LERK. WE are authorized to announce JOHN NICH-OLLS as a candidate for Town Clerk at the en-suing township election, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention. WE are authorized to announce JOHN R. WILLIAMS as a candidate for re-election to the office of Town Clerk of Decatur township at the easing election, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

COMMISSIONER OF RIGHWAYS.

WE are authorized to announce JORN WILLIAMS as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce DANIEL WHITSEL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM T. DILLEHUNT as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the township Republican convention. COLLECTOR.

WE are authorized to announce E. G. ALLEN as a candidate for township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican township convention.

Judge Tuley in Chicago has rendered lecision in regard to the petition of the decision in regard to the persuant of the board of trade asking for a modification of the injunction restraining the board from discontinuing its quotations to bucket shop men. He decided that he would modify the injunction providing that the board of trade would agree to the trade agree to the proposers of

that the board of trade would agree to permanently go out of the business of furnishing quotations. The board of trade men regard this as an important victory for them. They will discontinue farmshing quotations on April 1. The litigation has been going on for several years, and it all grows out of the efforts on the part of the board of trade to keep their quotations out of the bucket shops. Under the decisions no telegraph companies will be allowed on the thoor of the exchange, and customers will hereafter exchange, and customers will hereafter be dependent on newspapers or on pri-vate messages for their quotations.

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#### ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

Notice is normally given to the citizens, legal voters of the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, that the Annual Town Meeting for said town will be held at the Tabernacle in the city of Decatur in said town,

Tuesday, the First Day of April Next being the first Tuesday in said month, for the purposes, following, viz.

First To choose a moderator to preside at

First—To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
Second—To elect one Supervisor and six Assistant Supervisors, one Assessor, one Collector, one Commissioner of Highways, and as many Pound Masters as the electors may determine.

mine.

The electors are hereby notified that said election will be held in Districts numbered as follows, and the law requires all voters to vote in the District in which he is a resident:

1st Voting District, at the German Band Hall.

2d " at L. M. Gil's Grocery Store.

3d " at Gaddis & Huff's Lumber Office.

Office,
4th Young District, at J. C. Hendricks' Wagon 5th Voting District, at W. B. Newell's Butcher 6th Voting District, at Nichols' Bros.' Blacksmith Shop.
7th Voting District, at the Tabernacle.
8th at Citizens' Street Railway

Car Stables.
9th Voting District, at J. H. Myers' Brick Store Building. 10th Voting District, at E. L. Martin's Coal Office. Office.

1th Voting District, at Sorgen & Son's Store, 329 North Main Street.

And to act upon any additional subjects, which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened.

Which meeting will be called to order between the hours of eight and pine o'clock in the foremout.

noon,
Given under my hand, at Decatur, this 20th
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No. 34.—A five-room cottage with large barn co-foot lot, on East North street. A good loca-tion for a railroad man.

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opening in New York city in August has achieved a success that has proved almost fabulous, and a single instance may be quoted in their two weeks' business in Chicago, where the receipts reached nearly \$22,000. Trewey, the absolute master whom every artist for a decade past has more or less copied, and Gas Williams, subduedly, but effectively humorous, lead their associates in a performance that is highly entertaining. The new audacious Pas de Quatre as illustrated by four beautiful gaiety dancers eccentriques, the Misses Rose Reed, Katie Athol, Annie Allen and Louise Thompson win the hearts of all lovers of fancy skirt dancers. The Athos, in their ingenious spider web act, entitled "The Spider and Fly," in which one appears as the spider opening in New York city in August has

every language that is spoken in the world, and sings in 11, can tell the cube root of 11½, imitates Bobby Newcomb, and the leader of an Italian orchestra. Miss Eunice Vance, the httle London girl who sings "Little Tottle Coughdrop." For this song Miss Vance is fetchingly attared in a costume of wodest black which she in a costume of modest black, which she exchanges for a pretty Quakeress dress, in which she does a characteristic Quaker

wholesome throughout.

THE ravages of the grip are yet felt by ts victims, says the Philadelphia Record, and a new form of disease resulting from it has appeared. The oculists are busy with patients who complain of a burning sensation in the eye, which has become inflamed, and in some cases the range of vision is affected. It is observed that the majority of persons so affected were victime of the grip. One of the leading oculists in speaking of the disease said that the eye seems to be the the last part of the body affected. The number of cases of eye trouble has increased to an eleming extent and in creased to an alarming extent, and in most cases it was a secondary complaint. ticeable fact is that in the majority of cases there has been former trouble with he eyesight, and evidently the grip had

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FRIDAY EVE., MARCH 28, 1890. Ar Olney it is reported that the storm did damage to the amount of \$50,000.

ANOTHER bank official, the teller of the CHICAGO, March 28-1.30 p. m. -Luter Fourth National Bank of Pittaburg, has dispatches from Louisville not only congone wrong. He has disappeared and a discrepancy in his accounts has been disfirm but add to the extent of the calamcovered. ity. In Louisville alone the death list will reach 800, while thousands are in-

THE estate of the late Gen. Crook is reported, on the authority of the administrator, to not be in excess of \$1,000. It s probable that Congress will authorize the payment of a pension to his widow, who will reside at Oakland, Md., her for-In our report of the district Republiand other cities will follow. When the

can meeting published in our paper of yesterday there was a slight mistake. In the fourth district meeting the name of Elwin Park should have appeared as chairman, instead of D. T. Park, who came. was selected to head the delegation. Tag state treasurer of the state of

Maryland has been "hypothecating" the state sinking fund, and it is claimed by his friends that he is now insane, driven so by the dread of exposure. He has been a prominent figure in Maryland Democratic politics, and has also been a member of congress. His defalcation has the river, reacted deflets on tile at the foot of caused a great sensation in the state.

#### Death of John C. Campbell. The telegraph brings the announce

ment of the death of John C. Campbell, chairman of the Democratic State Cantral Committee, at Streator last evening Mr. Campbell was in his forty-seventh year, and his death was caused by heart failure. He was a member of the State Senate and but been prominent in Democratic politics. He leaves a widow and THE Smelters and Refiners of the

United States, with the exception of five companies, are said to have formed a trust with \$25,000,000 capital. The alleged reason for the combine is to get | ing the fair grounds to the city of Decaout of the control of the lead trust. Shall | tur for a public park for a term of 30 trust est trust. The combinations must | years at an average of about \$187 a year. combine to avoid "rninous competition" or other equally black ruin, it would will appropriate money to fit up the W. W. Moses, the Democratic postmas

ter of the fourth-class postollice at Lionville, Chester county, Pennsylvania, has tendered his resignation, believing, as he states in his letter to Mr. Wanamaker, "that the best interests of a Republican administration can be best served by Republican servante," believing, also, no doubt, that the first assistant postmaster general is of the same belief.

Tun Kentucky House of Representa tives has passed a most mysterious law It requires the county assessors to hat the number of family Bibles belonging to heads of families in the commonwealth. It is known that the Louisville ranaway bank cashier took one with him to Canada, and this law was undoubtedly passed to find out who has the other

#### TELEGRAPHIC TRIFLES.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad Company yesterday declared a cash dividend of one per cent, payable April 15 -Henry W. Homsey, for tweate two years city treesurer of Portland, Me., died yester-dny morning, aged sixty mine William Sluttery and his wife Mary were altering counterfest suver coin -Heary Kintschak, the arrist of the Sir John Franklin party, die I in New York Wednesday, aged seventy three -Rev W V W Davis, of the Union Church, of Worcester, Mass, has declined a

flattering call to Minucapolis, Minu -The United States Figh Commission steamer albatross has arrived at San Francisco Itom a crassi along the Pacific -- Wee Lee, at him self andryman of Chicago, aircelled Wednesday night charged with assaulting Mary Wagner, is held for

tilal April 2.

—Chas. Cowlishaw, of Poston, who Wednes day, cut the thront of his wife Elizabeth was arraigned in the Municipal Court yesterday and committed without bath.

-Win Rowan Moffatt, accountant of the Ontarlo Bank of Lorento, was Wednesday sentenced to the overest impresonment in the paritent ary at kin-ster, not embezzle--Rev. David J live of Westminster

Presbyterian Curric of Municapolis, has telegraphed the instees of the Collegate Dutch Reformed Courch of New York, declaring their Floorie at -The bill grant no telegraph companies the right to constitue these of telegraph on all railways in the state o. We can ton was passed by the senate last work and by the

-Lester B Van Zandt, messenger for the American Express Company, was recested at Foir Dodge. In . Wednesday evening charged with robbing the express package left in his care. He pleaded guilty and i

-- The work on the Mountain Lion alve mine, at Cook (.t.), which has been repro-gress during the winter, has just resolved in the discoving of the greatest hole of elliperere that has thus far been fee all in

the State of Montana THE only reliable vegetable substitute

kidneys and stomach, and best antivilnons purgative is Maguire's Cundurango, Indorsed by Archbishop Ryan, of Third-delphia; Rev. McNally, of St. Loins, and a host of prominent people.

with headache, bud breath, drows, no appetite, look out, your liver is out of order. One box of these Pills will drive all the trouble away and make a new bong of you. Price, 25 cents. John A. Easter oards, Easter eggs and Easternovelties in great variety at J. H. Bevins' Swearniger gent

Onty Book Store. Special low prices to Sunday schools or those buying in quantity. Come early and make selections. mar25 d&wlw

Incandescent Electro Light for Dwellings.

The Decatur Electric company is prepared to wire, and furnish light in residences on terms that compete with coal oil. Apply to R. J. Stratton, superintendent, or at office of Warren & Durfee, 124 North Water street. mar24-d30d

Ir you want your mome papered in short order, remember that Black & Graso have a large force of paper-hangers at their command, which can do

work with neatness and dispatch. 26-d6 WE have been in the restaurant business a long time. Give us your patronage and we will try to please you. Come is and take dinner to-day at Combe' Res

mar3-dawtf

#### MONEY TO LOAN

tanrant.

Lowest Rates.

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FARM AND CITY PROPERTY.

We also have a fine stock of Fancy APPLY TO Groceries, consisting of Candies, Nuts Dates, Raisins, and everything pertain PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO ing to that lir BANKERS DECATUR, ILLINOIS. Children Cry for Pitcher's Casteria.

### DAILY REPUBLICAN. THE STORM HORROR.

Latest News from Louisville. The Storm-King Holds High Terrible Loss of Life and Property--

800 People Killed.

THE LATEST-800 LIVES LOST.

special to the REPUBLICAN.

jured. 2500 houses were utterly

destroyed in the track of the storm which

includes a strip almost in the heart of

the city half a mile wide and three miles

long. Indianapolis has sent a relief train

cyclone struck the city the people were

in their homes as usual, and there was no

warning until death and destruction

THE TRACK OF THE STORM

Special to REPUBLICAN.

CINCIS NATI, March 28. An eye withess says

"The eyelone struck Louisville in the south

streets, where it left the city and striking across

Spring street. In Louisville, however, the de-

certainly reach hundreds, if not thousands. It

one building, at Twelfth and Market streets.

two lodges and a dancing school were in session

there being in the building perhaps to persons

not one of whom is the ight to have escaped

THE LEASE IS SIGNED.

Decatur Gets the Fair Grounds

for 30 Years.

The board of supervisors timished its

special work yesterday afternoon by leas-

The tract embraces 11 acres. The cuty

THE BUSINESS.

The committee on roads and bridges

reported favorably on the petition of the

Decatur Electric Street Rulway company

usking permission to extend its line out-

side the city limits on West Eldorade

street and on Cantrell street to Maffit

The committee on fees and enlaries

was granted further time to report on

THE LEASE APPROVED

Supervisors H. F. May, E. J. Roberts,

W. S. Smith, James Freeman, L. F.

Honek and R. M. Machae, committee,

reported favorably on the proposition to

lease the fair grounds property to the

city of Decatur for public park purposes.

for a term of 30 years, said grounds to be

retained by the city for the full term

specified, and to be given up only in case

the grounds are wanted for the purpose

of an exhibition ground in the permanent

location of the state fair in Deratur. It

is stipulated that the city shall not al-

low any person or persons to sell hquor

upon the promises on penalty of forfeit-

ing the lease and that the grounds shall

be under good poice control. The

ground in no sense is to be used for other

than park purposes. The city agrees to

yield the lease at the expiration of 30

years with all improvements of a perma-

nent character then on the premises. The

report of the committee was approved

The lease se outlined above has been ex-

ecuted and the fair grounds are now un-

der control of Decatur, and will, be con-

verted into a public park. There was

no call for ayes and mays on the motion

of Supervisor Machan to approve the

Supervisor Freeman offered the follow-

ing resolution which was adopted:

THANKS

Freeman was adopted:

Adjourned sine die.

of G. W. Marsh.

The following resolution by Supervisor

Resolved, That the thanks of this board are hereby tendered Bon W. S. Smith for the abbe-and impartial maining in which he has presided over our deliberations for the past year.

trustees of Spangler's cemetery, in place

It was voted that E. J. Martin shall

not pay the expenses of the meeting of

Williams' Australian Herb Pills.

If you are yellow, bilious, constibuted,

D. clared Insanc.

Irak Dizon, a train dispatcher of the

Wabash road at Monticello, was declared

insane yesterday and will be sent to the

Easter Eggs.

We receive our fruits direct from head-

quarters in car lots, and have the exclu-sive sale in Central Illinois for the cele-

PORT LIMON BANANAS,

Which are without doubt the very best

ananas grown on this continent.

We have a large stock of bananas, or

angee and lemons, and are in a position to give you bargains. Why not deal at headquarters and get in on the ground

GEO, W. EHRHART & CO.

asylum at Kankakee for treatment.

the board; the county will pay the bill.

street. The report was adopted.

the Sheriff Manzy claim.

grounds for public use without delay.

HUNDREDS OF HUMAN LIVES LOST. TRACK OF THE CYCLONE

One Hundred Persons Crushed in Falling Hall-The Union Denet and a Train of Cars Blown Into the River.

Carnival There.

Many Victims Caught in Falling Build ings and Cremated - Hundreds of Lives Lost at the Town of Metropolis, Illinois.

Wholesale Destruction of Life and Property at Louisville. LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 27.—Shortly

after nine o'clock to-night a tornado swept over this city, wrecking two or three hundred houses and killing two hundred people. The wind came from the southwest. The Union Depot, at the foot ing. Falls' City Hall, on West Market street, was wrecked. In the hall were over one hundred people and but few of them escaped alive. Many buildings, after falling, caught fire and the inmates were burned. All streets are blockaded with debris of fallen buildings or telegraph and relectric wires.

graph and eclectric wires.

This dispatch is carried around the city to the bridge and sent by railroad wire.

The Storm in Illinois.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., March 28.—A very severe storm of rain, hall, wind and electricity swept this portion of Illinois this afternoon. The rainfall have for this afternoon. The rainfall here for two hours was almost unprecented. At Petersburg, Menard County, there was a terrible storm of bail.

At Jacksonville a woman was killed nays, 127. by lightning. No serious damage aside from this has been reported.

Rumor that Hundreds of Lives were Lost at Metropolis, Ill. Chicago, March 27 .- A late special says that Metropolis, a small village in

The Wires all Down.

and injured.

Sr. Louis, March 28.-As early as wires leading into this city were reported all down, and at one o'clock the operators left their instruments and reseems to have been widespread and very dostructive.

#### FROM WASHINGTON.

An Important Decision.

WASHINGTON, March 28.-Secretary Noble yesterday rendered a very important decision in what are known as the Tide-Land cases, affecting the title to Puget Sound frontage in Washington. The Secretary holds that Valentine scrip can not be located in these lands, as they are owned by the State of Washington. The water front of the city of Seattle, which is now very valuable, is involved in this decision.

Bills Signed. Washington, March 28 -The President vesterday signed the bill to prevent the introduction of contagious diseases from one State to another; also the bill for the erection of a public building at Houston, Me.

Bonds Purchased.

Washington, March 28 .- The Treas-

ury Department vesterday purchased \$89,850 four per cent. bonds at 128, and \$52,800 four-and-a-half per cent. bonds

Another New Bank. Washington, March 28 .- The First National Bank of Claysville, Pa., cani-

tal \$50,000, was yestesday authorized to CAPITAL CHAT.

-The House yesterday passed the bill for

the admission of Wyoming into the Union of States Yeas, 139, nays, 127. of States -The Senate voted yesterday-31 to 38-to refer the Anti trust bill to the judiciary committee with instructions to report in committee with instructions to report in twenty days

It can be stated authoritatively that

First Assistant Postmastor-General Clark-son will resign at no late day. When Mr. Clarkson accepted the office it was with the understanding that he would leave it at the migration, at a joint meeting held yesterday morning, determined to refer the general

10g (1980)0 10n which was adopted:

Resolved, That the charman of the board etsapervisors is herby authorized and directed for and on behalf at the board to execute the lease for the tark. Touch to the city of bearing this day presented at closed. The sandeban maners also authors, and directed for and on behalf of the coard to the appropriate of the amorting of said fair grounds then the reast property for the city, so that proper and meessary police regulations may be extended over said fair grounds when the same is converted into a public park. subject of restricting tunnigration to a subsubject of restricting fundingration to a sub-committee of w.r. to refer the question of the purchase of American industries by for-eign capital to another sub-committee of six, and to take up in full committee Satur-day the question of using Bedloc's Island for an injungation staffer. for an immigration station.

#### FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

(First Session.) SESATE.

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The Senate to-day passed House bill to amend the Cenaus act of Marchs, 1889, the effect of it being to allow special agents \$3 a day for subsistence Vin motion of Supervisor Roberts when traveling, House bill appropriating Nicholas Swartz was named as one of the 525.000 for the purobase oftents for the use of \$25,000 for the purphase oftents for the use of flood sufferers of Arkansas, Mississippi and Louisiana, and Senate bill suspending for one year the statutes that requires steamers to be provided with certain life-saving appliances, guns forthrowing lines, etc.

The amendments of the Anti-trust bill as reported from the committee of the whole were then considered. The first amendments of the street amendment of the street amend ment discussed was the one excepting from the provisions of the bill—the combinations

of workmen and farmers. Mr Edmunds said that he was in favor of Mr Edmunds said that he was in favor of doing every thing that the Constitution permitted Congress to do in suppressing and breaking trusts and monopolles, because human experience had proved them to be destructive of the public weifare. People could not shut their eyes to the fact that capital combined to regulate wages. The workmen were also compeled to combine to defend themselves. And so the country has defend themselves. And so the country has for the last forty years been turned into great camps of enemies, while there ought

tion went, he believed that the safew of the Nation depended more largely on the prose-ervation of what were called the rights of the States than on any other one thing. He therefore should be slow about voting for any act of Congress which he thought went over the bounds which the Constitution prescribes. He was not willing to vote for a bill the would be decontive and disperse. a bill that would be deceptive and illusor a bill that would be deceptive and litusory, mere dust and ashes, and would not be correct into doing so by newspaper outery, by Farmers' Alliances or anything else.

Mr. Platt vigorously attacked the bill, declaring that it was a bill that aimed at every business in the United States. Unrestricted competition, he asserted, was brutal war-fare and injurious to the whole country.

tinuation of Wednesday's session, and the Wyoming Admission bill was again taken Mr. Outhwaite (O.) opposed the bill, basing his opposition upon the insufficiency of population in the proposed State. Mr Buckalew (Pa.) also antagonized the measure, declaring that it was a bribe held out to Congress by the local office-seeking element in the Territory. It was intended to neck the United States Senate, a Senate to pack the United States Senate, a Senate aiready having eight new Republican seats, six fairry held and two stolen.

Mr. McAdoo of New Jersey, said that the Constitution of Wyoming, if not the worst constitution ever adopted, was abreast of the worst. There was in the Constitution almost reconstitution when was ladden solition worsh.

The House met at eleven o'clock in con-

of Seventh street, was lifted from its foundations and turned over into the first steps, in order to gobble up the public lands.

Southern road went over with the build. this importance was before the House. The position he had taken in regard to the Terriposition he had taken in regard to the Terri-tories was an advanced one. In the last Congress he had favored the admission of the four new States. At this session he had introduced an omnibus bill, because he thought that all the Territories should be treated fairly and squarely. The Wyoming bill gave women the right of suffrage. The Idaho bill deprived the Mormons, men and

nexet. He believed that it the shormons of Utah would vote with the Republicans, the gentlemen on the other side would railroad a bill through the House for the admission of that Territory as a State. The bill was finally passed: Yeas, 139;

THE ARCHER DEFALCATION. The Shortage of the Maryland Tressures

BALTIMORE, Md., March 28 .-- The hyothecation of the sinking fund honds Illinois, about thirty miles from by State Treasurer Archer was the one Calro, was destroyed by the storm and theme of conversation yesterday. From several hundred persons were killed what is said on all sides, Mr. Archer seems to be the very last man that would be suspected of wrong-doing. The Mechanics' Bank of this city, which it was said in Annapolis dispatches was half-past eight o'clock last night the the holder of considerable of the Archer paper, refuses to talk further than to say that it is amply protected by the detired for the night. The great storm State Treasurer Archer. Mr. Archer posit of coupon bonds for all loans to was first elected Treasurer in 1886. In 1887 he succeeded Senator Arthur P. Gorman, who resigned, as chairman of the Democratic State central committee, and in each political campaign since that year he has taken a prominent part. His salary as State Treasurer was \$2,500 a year. Mr. Archer is also an ex-Congressman, having been elected in 1866. He served four terms consecuively. A tolerably-well authenticated statement has been circulated that Mr.

> the needed help could not be given. Refused His Friends' Offers. ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 28 .- No one ere seems to know just what the extent of State Treasurer Archer's deficit is. Every one, however, is willing to believe the amount involved is small. and say that it was an insane impulse which forced Mr. Archer to reject aid. Intimate friends of Mr. Archer's have known of his troubles since Monday, and any amount needed to make good his shortage was offered. One man tenlered \$25,000 in cash, if necessary, and without security. He rejected all offers of aid, saying that he himself alone could settle the affair. When last in Annapolis, Mr. Archer said it would be the last time he would ever visit the

place. The theory advanced yesterday was that in a moment of temptation he pledged securities belonging to the State, but not to a large amount: that he was made to know that outside parties were aware of his transactions, and that the fear of exposure drove him in-Another bank in Baltimore other than the Mechanics' Bank, is said

to hold a considerable amount of the Archer paper.

An Absounding Debtor GIRARD, Ill., March 28. -B. E. Polev who has been engaged in the grocery business at this place, left this city very suddenly last Sanday evening, having told a few of his associates he intended going to Decatur, Ala. This udder move on his part would not have attracted much attention, but the fact that he left his business affairs in an unsettled condition has created interest elsewhere. Poley came to this city a year ago this spring and engaged in the grocery business, selling goods for cash, and buying them on long time, and it will in all probability be a much longer time before the wholesale houses get their pay for them. A number of houses have sent agents here this week for the purpose of securing themselves

if possible. It is claimed by parties here who took possession of the store and goods on Monday that Poley had disposed of the goods to them before his departure, but yesterday an agent for the Scudder, Miltenberger & Reinhart grocery house of St. Louis issued an attachment and closed the store and will test the rights of ownership. They and the Greeley-Burnham Grocer Company of St. Louis, besides a number of Chicago firms, are among his creditors, and it is said Poley is also indebted to a number of perons

-The inquest concerning the death of William Turnbull, the New York ticket speculator who was shot and killed last Sat-urday night by James Hyde, another specu-ister, special metandar, by the special special properties. lator, ended yesterday by the jury finding that the shooting was done in self-defense. to be but one camp of co-operative. Hyde was remanded to the charge of the po-friends. So far as the constitutional quest lice for trial.

### BEYOND ALL CONTROL

er Mississippi.

THE LOWLANDS APPARENTLY DOOMED

The Work of the Flood on the Low-

Human Life Lost, and Live Stock Drowned by the Thousands-No Escape for the Credulous and Improvident People.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 28. - The low-

lands of Mississippi and Arkansas seem to be doomed. Levees are continually breaking and the floods are practically beyond control. Work on the crevasse at Arkansas City has been suspended, which means devastation for that section. At Skipwith, sixty miles below Greenville, a big levee broke yesterday morning, overflowing the little town and sweeping away several houses. The break was instantaneous. A leading citizen, standing in four feet of water and holding his child on his shoulders, telephoned an appeal for after May 7th, 1890.

The right to reject any and all proposals obids, or any part thereof, is hereby reserved.

Decatur, 11. March 28. A. D., 1895.

Persons desiring a copy of specifications of other information, can obtain same from City Clerk. skiffs and boats to rescue the drowning people. He had seen two of his neighbors drown close to expected that many more would suffer the same fate. He UNION STREET SEWER.

CALED BIDS.—Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of Union Street Sewer, with all man-holes, catch-basine, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, in the City of Decatur in Macon County, Illinois, commencing at a point on the south the of West Decatur in Macon County, Illinois, commencing at a point on the south the of the southeast corner of Block 7 in Raufman's Addition to the City of Decatur in said County and State, running thence slightly west of north to the south line of West Wood Street, thence to north end of culrert across West Wood Street, thence to north into GWest Wood Street, thence north to the north line of West Mann Street, thence north to the north line of West Mann Street, thence north to the north line of West William Street, to a point about 420 feet west of Church Street, thence sorth to the nitersection of Union Street and West Cerro Gordo Street to the intersection of West Cerro Gordo Breet and North Monroe Street, thence north on North Monroe Street to a point haif way between Pickard and Edmond Streets; also a branch of sand sewer connecting with the main sewer at the intersection of North Monroe Street and King Street to North Church Street, as is more fally described by an ordinance passed by the City Council January 27th, 1840, providing for said sower, and the profile, plans and specifications now on file in the office of the City Clerk.

The contract will be let to the law of responsible bidder. Scaled bads will be received at the office of the City Clerk. Including the labor, material and all matters and things necessary for said improvement, including the labor material and all matters and things necessary for said improvement, including the labor material and all matters and things necessary for said improvement, including the labor material and all matters and things necessary for said improvement, including the labor material to be used must be filed with the City Clerk.

Persons desiring a copy of specifications of the claims that the people living in the country can not escape. Repeated warnings have had no effect on them. as they felt secure behind their big levees. The break is bad, and the levee Is melting like a snow-bank. Resouing parties in boats have been organized at various points. Live-stock will be drowned by the thousands, as no provision has been made for removing them, and the Government hoats patroling the banks can do no more than rescue buman lives.

UNION STREET SEWER.

Persons desiring a copy of specifications ther information can obtain same from the Ci mch28-d40J

JASPER STREET SEWER

#### A QUICKENED CONSCIENCE. Embezzler Davis Acknowledges His Sin

and Hails His Punishment.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 27 .- In the ourt of Oyer and Terminer this morning, Judge Adams presiding, John A. Davis, late city trensurer of Rochester, pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzlement and was sentenced to Auburn State prison for five years. Davis made a speech in which he said he had supposed all along, until the explosion came, that his property would make good the deficiency. He was sure that he was punished not because of his failure to square his accounts, but because of his offense. The amount of the embezzlement is \$61,000.

Mr. Davis has heretofore maintained a strict silence, and no expression of regret or explanation of any kind has been published from him. For this reason it was not expected that Mr. Davis would have any thing to say, but he evidently preferred to make his statement at the last moment and to When District-Attorney Benton asked him if he had any thing to say, Davis replied: "Your Honor, three or four months ago the idea never entered my mind

JASPER STREET SEWER.

SEALED BIDS—Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of the Jasper street sewer, with all man holes, catch basins, connectoms and acquests pertaining thereto, in the city of Decaur, in Macon county, Illianos, commencing at a point about 29 feet east of the culvert under the fill on the right of way of the L.C. R. R. Co., about 490 feet soulic of William street, running thence northeasterly to the south line of East William street to a point about 75 feet east of the east line of fullon street, thence continuing northeasterly to the sleep between East William street and East North street to a point about 75 feet east of the wast line of fullon street; thence east of the west line of Calhonn street; thence east on said alley to a point about 220 feet west of the west line of Illinois street; thence east on said alley to a point about 220 feet west of the west line of Illinois street; thence east on Said alley to a point about 220 feet west of the west line of Illinois street; thence to the north east of the intersection of Illinois street and East North street to the Intersection of Illinois street, as is more fully described by an ordinance passed by the city council January 27th, 1890, providing for said sewer and the profile, plans and specifications now on hie in the office of the City Clerk. The contract will be left to the lowest responsible bidder. Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, is add city of Decaling, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. in. Wednesday, the 7th and city of Decaling, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. in. Wednesday, the 7th and city of Decaling, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. in. Wednesday, the 7th and city of Decaling, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. in. Wednesday, the 7th and city of the city Clerk. A good bond as required by ordinance, or a certified cleek in the soun of \$500.00, must add unprovenent; a sample of each kind of material to be used must be either of after May 7th, 1890 that there was any possibility of my standing where I do to-day. I had always felt that when it became necessary the property I had would be amply Archer recently told close friends of his sufficient to cover every thing, and I troubles, and they were so serious that still believe that that property, if properly managed, will realize sufficient amount to reimburse every cent of loss to all concerned. But be that as it may; whether or not I had been successful: whether or not my act had ever been discovered. I now recognize and concede the full extent of the crime which I had committed, and I know and realize fully what I have done. The feeling of the disgrace of the punishment to which I have subjected myself is not half so great as the sense of crime itself. In the light of this conviction I have resolved to take my punishment as soon as possible. I made up my mind that the true course was to stay and take this punishment in spite of the advice of my friends, one of whom offered me a position in a foreign country. I wish to have the punishment due me and then feel a clear conscience.

#### ELECTRICAL CURRENTS

to Secure Immunity.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 28 .- The Sonte committee that conducted the electrical investigation in New York City reported yesterday. The report ways: There are two dangers from elec-trical currents: First, danger to property from fire; second, danger to life from shock. The opinion exists among experts as to what voltage could cause death or whether there is any difference in danger to life between alternating and continuous currents. It seems to be conceded, and may be taken as a safe rule, that currents of 250 volts or under, either direct or alternating, are safe. It appears doubtful if any overhead system of wires carrying high tension currents could be under any circumstances maintained in the crowded streets of the city of New York without more or less danger to the public. The remedy for these evils, in the opinion of your committee, lies in the speedy burial of all electric lights and nower conductors in New York City and other cities having a population of 125,000 or more, and the enforcement in all cities and towns where central station electric lighting is carried on, of such rules and regulations as shall compel companies o properly construct and maintain their plants and adopt such precautions as are required to insure safety to the Whatever doubt there may have been heretofore regarding the possibility of successfully operating underground conductors, has been re-moved by experience in New York City with the subways, and the testimony taken by your committee, which is uniformly to the effect that currents of high and low tension direct or alternating may be distributed by means of underground conductors with entire suecess without interference with telephone and telegraph services and with safety to the public.

# Miss Annie McDonald

Department.

FRIDAY MORNING ---WITH---

**EASTER HATS and BONNETS.** 

BROADWAY ST. SEWER SELVED BIDS—Public notice is hereby given Strate the contract for the construction of the Broadway Street Sewer, with all man-holes, eatch-basins, consections and adjuncts pertaining thereto in the city of Decatur, in Macounty, limois; commencing at the brick curvert across North Broadway street, first south of Prairie street, abut fitty feet south of the south line of Prairie street, abut fitty feet south of the south line of Prairie street, and the intersection on North Broadway street and Marietta street, as the same intersects on the west side of North Broadway street; thence weston Marietta street, as the same intersection of Marietta street, as the same intersection of Marietta street to the intersection of Marietta street to the intersection of and connecting with said main sewer at the intersection of North Broadway street and Sangamon street, ranning thence east on Sangamon street to the intersection of Sangamon street and Chinton street; thence morth on Clinton street to the eity limits; also, the Herkimer street branch of said sewer, commencing and connecting with the west branch of said sewer at the intersection of Warren street, and Herkimer and Pugh streets to Chinch street, as Is more fully described by an ordinance pussed by the city council January Till, 1800, providing for said sewer, and the profile, plans and specifications now on file in the office of the City Clerk in said city of Decatur, from the date hereof unit 40 clock p. m., Wednesday, the Tith day of M.v. 1800, for the entire Improvement, heliuding it above material, and all matters and thurs and eity of Decatur, from the date hereof unit 40 clock p. m., wednesday, the Tith day of M.v. 1800, for the entire Improvement, heliuding it above material to the used must be aled with the City Clerk. A good bond as required by ordinance, or a certified clock in the sum of \$600, must accompany each bid. All bids received will be submitted to the City Clerk in after May Till, 1800. DETERMINED CRALED BIDS-Public notice is hereby give

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For Sale.

I will sell my leather top two-wheeled, cart also I new road cart cheep. This marg-older F C. BEIZER, CHY CIPIC.

Persons desiring a copy of specifications or leather top cart has a regular phaeton other information can obtain same from City body, coupe shafts, leather top and good clerk. curtains. Just the thing for a city county doctor, rides without a particle of horse motion. My barn is too crowded and these will not be held long at Leather top cart \$40. Road 20. Otto E. Certis. prices. L. cart \$20. 26-1 w

THOMAS CASSELL, of Quincy, has been sound over for trial for collecting an American Express Con pany's money order that came into his possession by mistake of a letter carrier.

These is more eathern in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years it was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remwith local trea ment, pronou ced it in-curable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore at requires constitutional treatment, Half's Catarric Care, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses of from 10 rops to a teaspoonful. It acts dir ctly upon the blood and mucus surface of th system. They offer One Hundred Dollars for any case it fails to cure.

Send for circulars, free, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props Sold by Druggists, price 75c a bottle.

AFTER April 1st my shop will not be open on Sunday, but will keep open till 12 o'clock Saturday night. R. E. ROLAND, 157 South Water street.

A WEEK OF CHEAP PRICES! GRAND OPERA HOUSE! One Week and Saturday Matinee,

MONDAY EVENING, March 31

A. R. WILBER'S Musical Comedy Co.

3 Wives to One Husband

New Songsi New Dancesi Great Specialties!

PRICES--10c, 20c and 30c. Reserved Seats on sale at the Grand Opera House beginning SATURDAY morning, Mar, 29

ROBERT KRAFT, PARLOR and KITCHEN FUR NITURE and Flower Stands. 

The entire and complete amaignmation of rect from their recent triumphs in New York City and en route to Chicago, where they begin a long return engagement at the Grand Opens House.

The sale of seats begins at the Grand Opera-House WEDNESDAY morning, March 26th,

#### Every child wants an Easter egge, and we have prepared to supply the county this year. Saxron & Andrews. OUR \* LAUNDRY \* WORK Next door to postoffice, mar24-d&w2w ⊕GEO. W. EHRHART & CO., ⊕ Is Second to None in the State. Headquarters for Fruits.

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New and Beautiful Selections, READY TO TAKE URDERS FOR

WYKOFF SEWER.

WYKOFF SEWER.

CEALED BIDS. Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of the wykoff sewer, with all connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, in the city of Decatar. In Macon county, Himos; commencing at the north end of the brick culvert across West Decatar street, in said city, about hifty feet east of the east line of Powers' Avenue (connected with present sewer land northward), tunning thence southleasterly along a certain ravine unit said sewer meets and connects with the present 44-inch sewer, about 100 feet west of Linbodien's Springs, as is more perfectly described by an ordinance pissed by the city council, January 27th, 1880, providing for said sewer, the profile, plans and specifications now on tile in the office of the City Clerk.

The contract will be let to the lowest responsible Bidder. Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, in said city of Decatur, from the date hereof until 4 of-lock p. in., wednesday, the 7th day of May, 198, for the critice improvement, including the Lator, material and all matters and things accessed y to 5 said improvement. improvement.

A sample of each kind of material to be used must be ided with the City Gerk. A good fond as required by ordinance, or a certified check in the sum of \$200, must accompany each 11:
All bius received will be submitted to the city an ous feetived with se shouthed to the dry council, to be opened at its next regular meeting thereof after May 7th, 1890. The right to reject any and all proposals or bids, or any part there-of, is bereby reserved.

Decatur, Illinois, March 28, A. D., 1890.

May 16d.

F. C. BETZER, City Clerk

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Adjutant-General Vance has accepted the resignations of Captain W. H. Mc-Beth, of Company H, 8th Regt., Paris: First Lieutenant Arthur E. Morton, of Company B, 3d Regt., Rockford, and First Lieutenant Frank M. Andrews, Company C, 6th Regt., Galesburg.

Neuralgia causes much Insanit; Metralgia causes much insani; I Tbe highest medical authorities of Europe and America have recently decided that a large percent age of cases of insanity is caused by the excritating pants of Neuralgia of the nead and face. If any mem ber of your family suffers this formentor, induce them to try Ballard's Snow Limment One application will afford immediate relief and you will soon be ried a dangerous and tomening disease. Ballard's Snow Limment is the most penetrating Limmen known. It positively curves Rheumatism. Lame Baris Coatracted Muscles, Old Sores, Corns, Bunions, etc. It penetrates and opens up the pores, drawing all penetrates and opens up the pores, drawing all It penetrates and opens up the pores, drawing al poisonous matter to the surface, restoring and promoting a natural circulation of the blood through the diseased parts.

For sale by John A. Swearingen, Druggist. Chicago Grain Market. The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, re-

tur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—Mar 79¼; May 79½; July 77½ COAN—Mar 28¾; May 29¾; July 31 OATE—Mar 22; May 22½; July 21¾ PORE—\$10.40 Mar; \$10.50 Ap!; \$10.55 LARD-\$6,12 Mar; \$6.12 Apl; \$6.17

May. Russ—\$5.12 March; \$5.15 April; \$5.12

ceived by B. Z. Taylor, Secretary Deca-

May.
Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 15,000; market firm.
Oattle, 7,000; market firm.
Oar lote—Wheat: Winter, 29; Spring,
9; Corn, 629; Oats, 144 FOR COLDS, CROUP, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS and Sore Throat use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and get the genuine.

A New Lime House. V. H. Parke & Son carry Line Hair Cement, PlasterParis, Land Plaster, Fire Brick, Fire Clay etc., wholesale and re-tail—Prices will always be low and quality of goods the best. Telephone 55, 621 North Main street. m24d&w2w

MRS. M. A. BRADLEY, Secretary and Agent. Good hones wanted for two bright httle girls of 8 and 10 years of ago.
Good home wanted for boy of 10 years.

May be adopted by good family.

Home wanted with some good farmer for a boy of 15 who has been deserted by his parents.

Fresh, home made cookery on sale every day at Woman's Exchange. Call and sample it

WOMAN'S INDUSTRIAL AND

CHARITABLE UNION.

Office, North Park Street, Second

Wanted. Everybody to go and investigate for

themselves and see what you can save by buying shoes at Barber & Baker's. The) keep no shoddy goods, but you can get a shoe that will suit you in style and price They will be pleased to see you and will give you Low Prices for good stoes.

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tion of the bowels, or serious results may follow, such as piles, impure block, and many chronic complaints. Burd Blood Bitters is the Remedy. Quiney troubled me for twenty to re-

Since I started using Dr. Thomas' E ictric Oil, have not had an attack. The Oil cures sore throat at once. Mrs. 1 etta Conrad, Standish, Mich., Oct. 24, %; Easter Millinery. Seven cases of Easter Millinery Goods received at "The Style," 121 North Water street, this morning. The ladies are in-vited to call and examine before purchas-ing. Mrs. Aden, of New York, assisted

phens, have charge of the trimming. 1\* Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

y Mrs. Wallace and Miss Mollie Ste-

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Carriages at 10:30.

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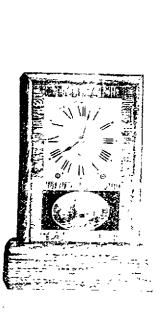
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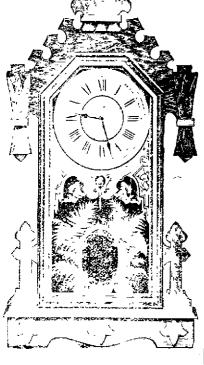
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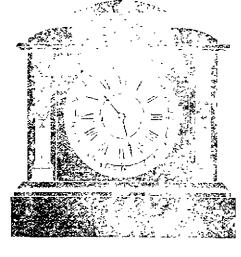
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### "Time of Day"

About the house, it pays to buy this kind We have them in Marble, Walnut, "Marbleized Iron and Nickel Frames, and we can save you money on this class of merchandise. We job these goods in large quantities and

buy them for less money than the smaller deal∈rs.



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EXTRA FINE LADIES' SHOES

For \$1.00.

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POWERS' \* SHOE \* STORE

240 North Park Street

### JOHN G. CLOYD. Grocer,

144 EAST MAIN ST.

Lowest Prices for High Grade Goods. SPECIAL ATTENTION TO Fine COFFEES AND TEAS.

WHOLESALE AGENT

A. BOOTH'S OYSTERS

Pillsbury's Best Flour.

TELEPHONE NO. 36.

FRIDAY EVE., MARCH 28, 1890.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WF are authorized to announce HENRY METZ is a candidate for re-election to the office of Alderman for the Fourth Ward, WR'are authorized to announce JOHN W DELLINGER as a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward. WE are authorized to announce B. O. Roses as a candidate for Alderman from the Third World

#### LOCAL NEWS.

Come and get a box of Goblets, before hey are all gone. E. D. Bartholomew & Co.

SEE the great Vaudeville show to-night

Four of the boxes at the Grand were occupied last night. PROGRESSIVE cinch was the diversion

at the Calumet Club reception last even-SATURDAY afternoon the Republicans

will meet at Boody and nominate a ticket for Blue Mound township. THE fair grounds will be converted into public park without delay. The lease

Bry California fru ts, fresh butter and table supplies generally at Hanks & Pat-

THE trade is informed by Geo. W. Ehrhart & Co. that they will have an abundance of ripe bananas on sale by Monday

NELLIE FOSTER was arrested last evening for street walking but succeeded in giving satisfactory bond to appear before Justice Hammer this afternoon.

SMOKE the old rehable K. & W. cigars,

The Knight Templars Easter services will be Leld Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, April 6, at Stapp's Chapel. Rev. George E. Scrimger will deliver the ad-

1 AND 3 cent store. Big Chicago Cheap Store, south side Park.

THE best of bread is made with White

"THE best of all ways to lengthen our days" is to use Cole's Carbolisalve, the quickest and best for curing piles, soresburns, scalds, bruises, chaps, chafes, chilblains and skin diseases of every nature.

Why pay 5 and 10 cents for 1 and 3 cent articles. Big Ohicago Cheap Store. Make selections of fine photographs at Den Chamberlain's gallery.

MEETING by section of Christian Workers this evening at the residence of Mr. Miller, No. 279 East Bradford street.

Select table supplies at J. Lytle & Co.'s grocery store. A full line of California fruite and choice cheese

THE Wabash is selling first class tickets to Deover for \$15.30, and second class

PARLOR matches 1 cent: more. Big Chicago Store.

There will be a special service to-night at Stapp's Chapel, M. E. church, The pastor will preach a short sermon. All who have recently united with this church and all who have signed cards for this church and have not yet joined are urged to be present. Everybody is welcome.

Miss Clara McCoy arrived home from Chicago this morning, where she has been attending the millnery openings and posting herself on the latest styles in the interest of Mrs. K. Einstein.

Just the pianos to suit you are on sale at C. B. Prescott's music store. Prices

way down; easy terms. WE guarantee our Rice Coil Spring Vehicles to be the essiest riding made in the world. If after six weeks trial the Rice Coil Spring is not found to be the

easiest riding spring you ever used, we will exchange for any other style.

The Spencer & Lehman Co. m28-d&wtf

THE Republican ticket in Friends Creek township is as follows: Supervisor T. H. Barr; clerk, F. R. Querry; assector. Charles Towers: collector, John W. Hanks; commissioner, William Arm-

strong, sr.; justice, J. J. Makership; county trustee, J. B. Troxell. No MEDICINE has had greater success in checking consumption, in its early stages, then Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It ips coughing, soothes the throat and

the close of the service, langs, and induces much-needed repose. Hundreds have testified to the remarksble virtues of this preparation.

THE Decatur pension board had nine applicants before it this week for exammation. Since Gen. Raum put 100 clerks to work in his office examining claims instead of answering questions sent in by an inquisitive army of people, the business of the pension office has been

pushed forward with great rapidity. Don't forget that J. H. Bevane' City Book Store is headquarters for Easter cards and Easter eggs. See what they have to offer before you buy.

mar25-d&w1w Spoons 1c, tooth picks 3c; don't pay 5c. Big Chicago Store.

John Young, at the Republican office. is the Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter, the most perfect nachine made, the favorite with all ex pert operators who desire quick work and perfect alignment.

Nice dripping pans 3 cents. Don't pay 5 cents anywhere. Big Chicago Cheap Store.

The Grand Opera House eigers, made by Keck & Weig and, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

BEAU | French and American Sat-TIFUL | eens at LINN & SCRUGGS. L. H. RUDE and August Meyer, the

merchant tailors, are now located at 111 south side Lincoln Square, where they would be pleased to have all old and new customers call for perfect-fitting and stylish suits. Repair work a specialty. ville, has been appointed chief surgeon

Death in the Storm Near Mechan icsburg. The storm of yesterday was widespread

of the Wabsah system, to fill the vacancy saused by the death of Dr. J. W. Jackson, of Kansas City. His salary is \$5,000 a It was terrific in violence near Mechanyear and expenses. He received the iceburg. Charles Black, the 14 year old position without solicitation, and will son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black, rehave his headquarters in Danville. Dr. siding near Mechanicsburg, in Wheat-J. P. Jackson, brother of the late chief field township, was caught in the storm surgeon, has temporarily succeeded his on his way home from school at 4:30 brother for the past several weeks until a o'clock. He was riding a horse and be successor could be appointed. Dr. Moorhind him was his little sister. They were house is a middle-aged gentleman and was born in Vermilion county, having seeking shelter and on the way to a re graduated from one of the Illinois state fuge close at hand, little Charley was nedical institutions. At the time of his struck by lightning and instantly killed, promotion he was division surgeon of the as was also the horse. The little girl was Wabash. In his new position he has the severely shocked, but was not seriously injured. She breasted the wind and rain hearty congratulations of a host of to convey the sad news of the shocking friends and brother physicians. For Commissioner of Highways. The father of the children is one of the

Wm. T. Dillehunt, who has long been an overseer of highways in this town ship will be a candidate before the Republican convention to-night for the office of commissioner. Mr. Dillehunt's long experience as overseer is such as gives the assurance that if he is nominated he will be perfectly familiar with the duties to be performed and will be perfectly well prepared to discharge them. In his district be has kept the highways in perfect condition, so that it is a pleasure to drive over them. That he would exercise supervision over a larger territory goes without saying, for he is a regular hustler and never allows the grass to grow under his feet. Besides he is an uncompromising Republican, who is always ready to work for the success of the ticket, and does not have to be begged or threatened or bulldozed into working for a Republican victory, from President to pound-

Chief Surgeon of the Wabash.

Dr. Herbert W. Moorehouse, of Dan-

A Week of Cheap Prices. A. R. Wilber's musical comedy company opens a week's engagement at the Grand on next Monday evening. Their repertorre consists entirely of popular farce comedies, with a change of play nightly. Mr. Wilber was the originator of these prices, and has the reputation of having the best popular priced company on the roнd—"the great Union Square Theatre success." '3 Wives to 1 Husband" is included in the repertoire. The prices are 10c, 20c and 30c, and reserved seats will be on sale Saturday morning. A Visitation.

Rt. Rev. George F. Seymour, S. T. D. L. L. D, bishop of the Springfield Dioese, Episcopal church, will visit Decatur on Sunday and conduct services at St. John's church. He will be a guest of Mr. L. Burrows while in the city.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Z. W. Harris is ill. Robert Lytle is very sick at his hon on West Main street.

Col. A. C. Waterhouse evening from Chicago.

Charles Burnstead is at Danville viert ng his cousin, Charles Seiwell. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heuver will probably leave for Chester this evening.

W. W. Brady, passenger agent for the Eric Railroad, was in the city to-day.

John Freeman and O. F. Spaulding arrived home last night from Chicago. Will Werner, now located at Tacoma

Wash., has sept us a collection of Tacom Miss Jennie Montgomery and Miss Clara Weyl go to Bement to-day to visit

went to Warrensburg this morning on

Mrs. Hackenberry, of Mt. Pleasant, In.

Citizens' street railway force. He is conductor on car No. 18, James Lytle, of Waterford, Pa

eity visiting his brothers, Capt. R. P., C. M., and John Lytle. Mise Lens Ruby returned to her home

in Macon this morning after visiting rel-stives in Springfield.

Ira Brown, of Portland, Ose.. favors us with a late copy of the *Duily Times*, published at Victoria, B. C.

Mrs. John A. Brown, accompanied by ber children, Jessie and May, returned this morning from Clinton.

Miss Charlotte Capen, of Bloomington, arrived in the city this morning and is the guest of Mrs. F. M. Young.

home to visit his parents, Dr. and Mrs H. J. Weyl, after an absence of 6 years. in the city last night and is a guest of Mrs. and Mr. J. I. Pasold, of 506 West

Frank Warren, formerly motor man on vestibule car of the Citizens' Line, will accept a position Monday with the Short ine company.

Miss Lizzie McGuire, the stenographer and Remington typewriter, enjoys the distinction of being the only lady notary

public in Macon county.

Mather in the play of "Gretchen."

business trip through Wisconsin and Michigan. He may go through to the Pacific coast. If he does he will be ab-sent seven or eighth months. Mrs. John W. Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Einstein, resides at

Lonsville, Ky., the city visited by the damaging storm last night. Her home is in a quarter of the city remote from the rack of the cyclone.

for a few days. Ed. Reynolds, a student at the same college, accompanied John and will be his guest while here. FROM Richmond, Va.--I sell a great

deal of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and find that it gives better estisfaction than any eher Cough Syrup. I WILSON MOSELY, Druggist.

bottle of Salvation Oil. It cured me. I needed this, and "nothing more." A Word to the Wise.

E. C. DeHaven, the popular decorator as returned to our city and is better

Easter Sunday Comes April 6 and Easter cards and novelties are much andsomer and cheaper than ever. For a choice selection be sure and call at the Postoffice Book Store SALTON & ANDREWS, mar24-d&w2w

THE HURRICANE STORM.

A Deluge of Rain and a Terrific Wind-Damage Done.

Decatur was stirred violently yester day afternoon at about 4 o'clock by the delayed equinoctial storm, which came up suddenly, accompanied by vivid flashes of lightning and a whirling hurricane that betokened death and deatrnotion. The wind changed its course so rapidly that people who watched the driving rain felt that the worst could be expected in the way of a possible cyclone, but fortunately the hurricane soon spent itself and the rain ceased, the clouds cleared away, and before 5 o'clock the sun came out smilingly. Such a heavy fail of rain has seldom been witnessed in this locality. The streets were rivers of water and the brick pavements were swept clean of mnd. No one ven tured out until the storm had subsided

NOTES OF THE DAMAGE. John Renshaw suffered the loss of the roof from off his kitchen, at his home northeast of the city, by the wind. At the time his house was filled with guests who were present in honor of his thirti eth wedding anniversary, and a great deal of fear was manifested lest the house would be swept away. Had the wind struck the roof from a different direction, the entire covering of the house would have been swept off. Fences and small buildings in the immediate neighborhood were blown over and considerable dam age was done.

James H. Record's hay shed, and pump wind mill, on the Powers place, northess of the city, were blown over and wrecked. The damage is placed at \$100.

Henry Cassell's pump wind mill, half a mile east, was also laid flat.

The wind was particularly violent in that section, stables, outhouses and fences going down before the wind.

school house was unfastened and rolled over, and some further damage was done by water. The wind and rain caused one of the Pacific Express teams to run away on Water street. The wagon was tipped

Part of the roofing of the Fifth ward

over at Bradley Bros.' corner, where the tongue was broken and the horses got They were caught on Main street. The wind did considerable damage on East Main street. Mrs. Hamsher's millinery show sign was blown over, and

panes of glass in it were smashed, while the hats it contained went flying through the rain. The sign in front of Huff's restaurant came down with a crash and the large plate glass in the front of the restaurant

which was broken off close to the walk. The front of the roof of the Henry Lyon building on Merchant street was raised bodily about four inches, and it is yet elevated, the timbers having oaught under the brick. The removal of the brick will permit the roof to fall back in

The J. G. Cloyd delivery wagon was

Telephone wires suffered, aged apple trees were wrecked and shaky fences went down before the wind.

And to wind up the visitation, last night's temperature fell rapidly, and this morning the earth was covered with a thin mentle of snow.

Base Ball News.

A. D. Kyner, son of Dr. Kyner, of Macon, departed this morning over the I., D. & W. for Indianapolis, where he will join the Chantauqua Base Ball nine, of Jamestown, N. Y. He will play second base for this club, who for the past several weeks have been playing exhibition games through Indiana and Ohio. Arthas many friends in this city, who will be glad to hear that he secured a position clubs of the New York State League. He has always manifested a great desire to become a member of some good club and for that reason has by continued practice acquired quite a great deal of skill with

Charley Jones is figuring on organizing a strong local base ball club to play during the coming season. It is his purpose, should be succeed in carrying out his plans, to lease the present ball park and give first-class games to the sporting

SUNDAY night April 6th the G. A. R. organization anniversary services will be held at the Grand opera house, when Rev W. H. Penhallegan will deliver the Miss Lizzie Long of Danville, arrived address. The G. A. R. Post, the Womans' Relief Corps and; the Sons of Veterans

> Bunday afternoon 3:30, will be in charge of W. C. Outten. All are especially invited.

For purifying the blood, stimulating the appetite, and invigorating the system in the Spring and early Summer, Ayer's Sarsaparilla is unsurpassed. Be sure you get Ayer's Sarsaparilla and no other; else the result may be anything but satisfactory.

AT the meeting of the Central Illinois Trotting Circuit held at Peoria, Bloomington was admitted and all details were completed for the trotting meetings to be held in July. Dr. J. F. Reid, C. M. Caldwell and R. R. Montgomery represented the Decatur association at the meeting, H. W. Butler, of Peoria, was elected secretary of the Central Circuit, in place of C. F. Mills, resigned. The Decatur meeting will be held July 15

oorns, and all and eruptions, and posi-tively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner, wholesale and retail druggist, DIED.

Indiana, but has been a resident of this stat for twenty-two years. The surviving relatives are her husband, John Defratus, Mrs. Susar nah Hennesssey, of Chicago, an aunt, and Mrs Emily Killion, of Scottsburg, Ind., who is also an aunt. She also leaves a half-brother and

At an North Witt street, March 27th, of bronchitis, airs, Thomas Rothwell, aged 65 years. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. Herman

### A FEW

OF THE

GREAT BARGAINS!

### LINN & SCRUGGS

Have procured at Special sales in the Eastern Markets and will be offered for sale this week.

900 yards Striped Surah at 45c per yard.

1200 yards Extra Fine Striped Surah at 68c per yard. 500 yards Golden Rule Black Silk at \$1.00-the best

700 yards Golden Rule Black Silk at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.85-All warranted not to cut and of Excep-

2,000 yards Remnant Lace Curtain Scrim at 7c a yard. 500 pairs Lace Curtains at Half Their Value.

Ladies' Jackets in New Styles, in Great Variety. and A New Assortment of Cashmere Ombre Sateens at 22c.

6,000 yards Satcens at 12½c, in Elegant Styles.

### GIVE US YOUR NAME.

As we propose getting up a new directory, Five prizes each of one best \$3 Marseiller and in order to make it complete we spread.

Spread.

Four prizes each of one Furniture Prolady who purchases goods in Decatur, no matter where she lives; and as an inducement to those favoring us with their names and address, we will give them a chance in the following prizes, namely:

One prize of 35 yards Lowell Body Brussels Carpet.
One prize of 20 yards best Black \$2 Silk. One prize of a \$25 Cloak.
One prize of 20 yards best Black \$1 Silk. One prize of 20 yards best Colored \$1.0.) Silk.

One prize of 25 yards best Lowell In grain Carpet. One prize of one best \$10 Shawl.

One prize of one pest \$10 mawi.
One prize of one pair best \$6 Blankets.
Two prizes each of 10 yards best \$0c
Black Cashmere.
One prize of one best \$7 Child's Cloak.
Two prizes each of one Lady's \$7 Jacket.
One prize of one best \$5 Parasol.
One prize of one best \$5 Rug. One prize of one best \$5 Rug.

Four prizes each of one Furniture Pro-

tector Carpet Sweeper. Four prizes each of 3 yards best Table Linen, at 75c a yard. Twelve prizes each of one pair \$2.00 Kid

Forty prizes each of 12 yards best Dress Gingbams. Twelve prizes each of one best \$1 Corset. Three prizes each of one best \$1.00 Kid

Or their equivalent in any other article

of merchandise. The drawing to take place the First Day or sanuary, 1891. The prizes will be distributed under the direction of such persons as will insure justice and

satisfaction 'o all.

13 Every lady who has her name in our directory will have one chance, that will cost her nothing except the trouble

# LINN & SCRUGGS.

### \* SPECIAL OFFERINGS \*

THIS WEEK.

The New Store,

(NEXT TO MILLIKIN'S BANK,) 100 pairs Lace Curtains, full length..... 100 pairs Lace Curtains, full length, ..... 75 pairs Lace Curtains, extra length and width, 85c 60 pairs Lace Curtains, extra length and width, \$1.00 50 pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price, \$2.50, for 1.25 40 pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price, 3.00, for 1.47

40 pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price, 4.00, for 1.98

### 30 pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price, 5.00, for 2.43 25 pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price, 7.00, for 3.75 A few pairs Lace Curtains, worth \$17, for ...... 8.50 S. HUMPHREYS,

Agent for the Celebrated Standard Paper Patterns.

### .890—1855—35

New Sugar Cured Hams. Boneless Breakfast Bacon.

Now is a good time to have your cans filled with PURE KETTLE RENDERED LARD.

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To the Shoe Buyers of Decatur and Vicinity.

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Easter occurs April 6th. As usual John Irwin has provided something new and striking in neck wear for this event The goods are so delicate in coloring and o dainty in material that they will prove very tempting. Come early to the White front and select a scarf from the ideal hne of Easter goods. John Inwin, mar27-2w

and see the great variety carried in stock. We have everything in the line; w' else of all grades and prices. Remember that we also have the best sewing machin earth. The only Revolving Shuttle Sewing Machine sold. mar27-1m

DAILY REPUBLICAN. BOY AND HORSE KILLED.

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wealthiest residents of that section

John Rogers came to Decatur to-day and

elected a casket at Bullard's undertak-

ng rooms. Undertaker Bullard will go

to Mechanicsburg to direct the funeral,

Smith, wife of a farmer, was instantly

killed by lightning while passing from

Officers Elected.

The following officers were elected last

night at the meeting of the Abraham

Lincoln Republican Club to serve during

the ensuing year: J. W. Woodford, presi-

dent; Peter Mitchell, vice-president; R

Rogan, secretary; Hue Singleton, treas

urer; Robert Stewart, John W. William

THE inclement weather last night cut

down the attendance at the Grand, where

Margaret Mather and her company up-

son and Joseph Dansby, directors,

the woodshed to the house.

During the same storm Mrs. Alex.

peared in Gilbert's version of Goethe's "Faust," a simple story of struggling virtue and plotting villainy in four acts. Miss Mather was not seen at her best in "Gretchen." She is made the heroine, it is true, but there is no scope for a proper display of her talents, and yet she was charming and finished to all the scenes in which she appeared, reaching the chmax in the last act when she gave the audience the Mather death scene, an original conception that thrilled the an dience and sent everybody out of the hall

shivering and sorrowful. It was a spacmodic, shivering death, the actress falling upon the stage with eyes wide open and arms outstretched, while the five other characters started back stunned by the death. Then the curtain fell. The supoort was excellent. THE members of Col. I. C. Pugh Camp

No. 14, Sone of Veterans, are preparing to spread out in great shape. They have ordered nest uniforms from Lilly & Co., and this morning the Camp received 20 Springfield breech loading rifles and side arms from the same firm. The meeting of the Camp last night brought out 20 members. A third degree is to be added.

THE winning ticket will be nominated by the Republicans at the township convention to be held at the court house to night. It will be a large gathering of the representative Republicans of Decatur township, and the delegates will use their best judgment in putting up good and trustworthy men to look after the

affairs of the township for the coming JOHN DALY, JR., assistant storekeeper at the Wabsh car shops, was the victim of an accident yesterday which will cause him to take a lay off for several days. He let a heavy piece of iron fall on the great toe of his left foot and so badly mash. ed that member that it was necessary for

Dr. W. B. Hostetler to dress the injury, F. R. Howard was before Justice Hammer yesterday afternoon on the charge of drunkenness. He paid the usual fine Mills and family. of \$3 and costs and went on his way re-Howard is the chap who scattered his loose change at the Bluebeard

Lasr evening D. H. Heilman entertained the members of his Sabbath school class at his home. The class comprises Annie Cool, Mande Dell, Lizzio Mathews Mamie Mathews, Cordie Underwood

Miss Haag and Miss Jumper. YESTERDAY T. A. Pritchett went to Niantic to cry George Wree's sale of sheep and other stock, but he got washed out by the rain and the sale had to be

postponed until Wednesday, April 2.

greater school accommodations, and on Tuesday next they will vote on the erection of a high school building. The pro position meets with general favor. This morning Officer A. S. Baylor, of the depot police force, was called to

THE people of Illini Township want

Bloomington by telegraph because of the dangerous illness of his mother. He left This evening the Good Templars of

Decatur Lodge will hold their sociable in the hall in the court house. A must cal and literary program will be observed SERVICES at the Christian church again this evening at 7:30. Preaching by the

pastor, T W. Pinkerton. Baptism a

Sales of Real Estate. Frank H. Hall to Elizabeth Betzer, deed to lot 10 and half lot 9, block 2 Southwestern addition, property on West Macon street—\$4000.

S. B. Moll to J. B. Robinson, deed to 20 feet off the west side lot 6 and 20 feet.

off the east side lot 5, all in block 1. Forstmeyer's addition—\$450.

C. H. Olson to David White, deed to lot 3, block 4, Cassell's 4th addition— Jeremah Baker to David Kuns, deed to tract of land in 8, 16 and 17, in 17, 5 east. in Piatt county, 10 acres lying in Macor county-\$8860.

at Moore Bros.' store on North Water street. The childrens eyes are made glad, feasting on the many Easter novelties in the show window of Saxton & Andrews, next door to the postoffice.

Another Big Sale.

THE choicest of groceries and butter

The Big Chicago Cheap Store has bought out the D. M. Sach's splendid stock, consisting of \$5,000 worth of Ruga Carpets, Luces, Bibles, Albums, Cabs Clocks, etc. This whole lot will be offered at 50c on the dollar for cash. Old installment figures cut in two. The Chicago boys hustle hard for first-class onicago topy matthe nard for fract-mass goods at bottom figures, and look at these prices: \$5.50 Rugs go for \$2.75; \$6.50 Rugs go for \$2.75; \$6.50 Rugs go for \$2.50; \$5.00 Albums go for \$2.50; \$5.00 Casters go for \$2.50. Carpets now being cut.

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Bob Foster is a new addition to the

Harry L. Weyl, of Trenton, Neb., is

Judge Smith, of Champaign, and State's Attorney Jennings, of Sullivan, were at the Grand last night to see Miss Fred Baldwin will depart Monday on a

John Eichinger, a student at Eureka. arrived home this morning to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Eichinger,

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Miss Louisa Defratus died of consumption last evening March 27, at 8:25 o'clock, at the family residence, No. 135 East Washington street, aged 41 years, 1 month and 11 days. The deceased was born in Washington county

Koeppe, of Decatur, at whose home she died Mrs. R. L. Coens, of St. Louis, John Bothwe of Bloomington, and Samuel Rothwell, or Peorl THE largest stock, greatest variety and

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Administrator's Notice. Estate of Louisa J. Devore Deceased. The in hysigned having been appointed Ail ministrator of the estate of Louisa J. Devore, late of the townty of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased herely gives active that he will appear before the Lounty Court of Macon county, as the court house in Decatur, at the fine term, on the first Wonday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified. In repuested to at tend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this will day of Mirch, 1890.

CHARLES W. DEVORE, mar 25-down. Estate of Louisa J. Devore Deceased

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Clarinda B Hall Deceased
The undersigned having been appointed Ad
ministrator of the estate of Clarinda B Hall,
late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois,
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at the court house in Decautur at the Max
term, on the first Monday in May next, at
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March, 1890
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sportsman has recovered £1,000 lamages from a firm in London for breach of warranty as to a rifle purchased by the plaintiff. The case was settled in court, after the plaintiff's case had been opened and a certain amount of evidence called, by the defendants submitting to a verdict of £1,000 and costs The result of this compromise was that certain interesting issues and legal points in the case were not threshed out What those points were will be seen from a sketch of

he cause of action
The plaintiff is Mr F Hallowell Carew a gentleman on the sunny side of thirty, and possessed of considerable private He has gone in freely for sport since attaining his majority, he has fig-ored in the pigskin between the flags, and in 1886 he bethought himself of that reputed sportsman's Eden, Southeast Africa and its resources of big game Co , the naturalists and taxidermists of Piccadilly Mr Carew, prior to starting on his African trip visited Messre Ward's establishment and took some les one in skinning animals

In the course of conversation with Mr Ward he mentioned that he contemplated obtaining his rifles from Holland's the well known gunnakers, and one o the Ward firm thereupon volunteered to him that they could supply him with the weapons which he would need, of equal quality to those which he could obtain at Holland's, but at half the price Mr Carew accordingly consented to deal with them, and ordered from them the rifles which they suggested for his own use, together with the five and twenty Sanders for the use of his African native staff, he also bought his ammunit on from the defendants

The rifles were delivered to him, the move being made out in the name of the defendants He then took the rifles down to Nunhead to test them as to sighting, and on that occasion and not previously, according to his evidence, the name of some third party as the manu facturer of them was mentioned to him by some one speaking on behalf of defendants. The trial with the rifles satis hed him, he fired from the one which was the cause of action about ten trial shots. He did not personally inform himself as to the charge which he used in the trials, but it seems that he used ammunition supplied by the defendants and similar to that which he was taking from them for his use in Africa In due time Mr Carew sailed for Zan

zibar, and started up country, spending about £1 000 on his trip Before long one of these ritles burst in his hands causing him most serious injury mains ing him and disfiguring him more or less for life. His left hand is permanently empled, powder has burned into the skin of his face, and his hearing has been impured by the explosion. His trip was, of course, spoiled by the caus Also dealers in Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Notions—at prices that will surprise you Gall and examine our prices and be convinced crophe and the outly upon it was wasted it appears that he had fired the rifle which had burst some dozen nmes after be reached Africa. On the occasion of the accident it was loaded with a cartridge supplied by defendants An expert examination of the burst rifle diaclosed the cause of its weakness The hole for the extractor pin had been in the first instance bored into the wall

The workman had then plugged the ole with steel wire and had rebored the hole. The effect of this boring had been to make the barrel defective in strength leaving only one sixty fourth of an inch of metal where there should have been one-eighth. The explosion was due to this defective workmanship, according to the expert evidence of Mr S B Aliport, the celebrated gunmaker, who is also charman of the Birmingham proof board —Landon Field

The telephone service is admirable, as s testified by the public appreciation, here being over 10 000 instruments in use in Brilin There are no private telephone companies in Germany, the tele phone like the telegraph, being a branch of the postal service. The price for tele-phone service is low, the annual charge or an instrument being 120 marks, or something less than \$30 The long dis ance service between the principal cities of the empire is being rapidly introduced A telegram received for a person who has telephone is at once delivered orally from the central office, and the written message then forwarde l by the local post Likewise a telegram is transmitted by the sender to the telegraph office by tele phone. The telephones in use are manufactured by Siemens & Halske the great electricians, and are said to be a creatim. provement upon the Bell patent upon which they are based -Cor Mexican Financier \_\_\_\_

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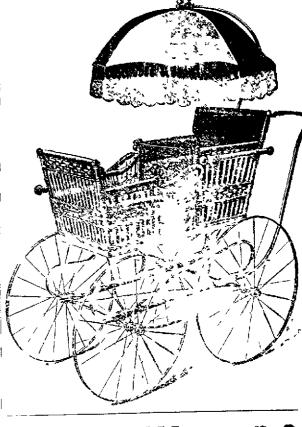
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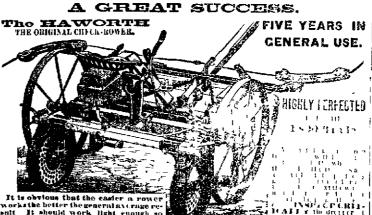
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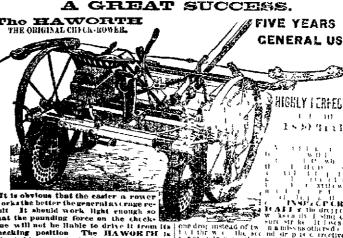
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ceased, late of the county of Macon and state of
Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he
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county, at the court house in Decatur, at the May
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estate are notified and requested to attend for
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Dated this 20th day of March, 1836

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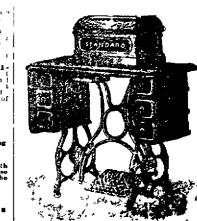
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